

## It's a Bally Nuisance, Bai Jove!



This sugar shortage is enough to drive a man out of business; that is, of course, if he tries to give his customers the service they are entitled to. It's been a corker but we have always been fortunate enough to have a little on hand, and have always been able to give you a few pounds. There is no profit on sugar but that does not prevent us scrapping for it for Service is a hobby with us.

### APPLES!

Our car of winter varieties expected in a few days. In the meantime McIntosh Reds are selling like hot cakes. Put a box of these beauties down on your next order.

#### SILK SCARFS

See our window of this beautiful range and make your choice before they are all sold.

#### NECK TIES

Just opened up a choice shipment of over 300. All the best colors and shapes, no two alike, buy these now for your Xmas presents. We know they will please.

#### HOUSE SLIPPERS

We have a splendid range of Jaeger Koser also a very comfortable felt slipper. A very delightful slipper, for the cold wintery nights you will see in our window.

#### OUR MEN'S WEAR STORE

Claims to have one of the finest stocks of merchandise that can be procured.

#### \$20,000 Stock

Bought right and selling right. Judging by results, the manager of this store knows when to buy, how to buy and where to buy.

We hear complaints all along the line of shortage of supplies. Our answer to that is.

**Come in and see our stock.**

#### This Week's Eye-Opener!

See Our Wonder Value in Mackinaw Coats at \$16.50  
To-day's market makes these coats at this price something worth your special attention.

#### COON FUR COATS

Good wearing values guaranteed to give one service in every way.

Prices \$150.00 and \$250.00

#### SHEEP LINED COATS

Don't fail to see our most excellent values in these coats, for they are the only comfortable garment you can put on for hauling that wheat of yours to town.

#### Ladies Gloves & Stockings

All wool Jaeger gloves in three shades, absolutely guaranteed.

All wool black cashmere stockings, splendid values, good stock, be sure and see these before buying your winter supply.

## McKEE'S

## QUALITY AND SERVICE

## STORES

### THE GEM THEATRE

Fri. and Sat.—C. De Milles "We Can't Have Everything."

Monday and Tuesday:

L. Cavaleri in "Woman of Impulse."

Wednesday and Thursday:

Dorothy Dalton in "Hard Boiled."

Friday and Saturday—Next Week:

W. S. Hart in "Breed of Men."

## Big Values Here

Come up the side street (Opposite the Post Office) It Pays!

#### MEN'S CORDUROY PANTS

Extra strong, dark gold, velvet corduroy, best make, thoroughly dependable, two side and two hip pockets, watch pocket. Size 30 to 42 waist measure, leg 20 to 34. Price \$7.75

#### MEN'S MOLE PANTS

All made, grey stripe, heavy molokins, belt loops. Sizes 32 to 45 waist. Mr. Big Men we can fit you. Price \$6.00

#### MEN'S PURE WOOL UNDERWEAR

The Famous Heaton Pure Wool Undershirt, soft, warm and comfortable, shirt and drawers, all sizes. Per Garment \$2.00 and \$3.00

#### PURE WOOL SETS

Ladies and Misses Cap and Scarf Sets, very neat patterns, soft wool, comfortable for winter wear.

Prices from \$2.50 to \$4.75

#### WOOL GLOVES & MITTS

Ladies, Misses and Children's Warm Wool Gloves and Mitts. Colors: black, blue, brown, grey and white.

Prices 45¢ to \$1.35

#### BABY

For the Baby, Pulses, Booties, Leggings, Bonnets, Wool Bands and Wool Vests.

#### WOOL MITTS

Fine quality wool mitt for Baby. Splendidly warm and comfortable. Price 45¢.

### Chautauqua

The Chautauqua programs for this year are, to use an old phrase which is nevertheless very true, better than ever before.

Education and entertainment are presented in palatable doses which are calculated to invigorate and not leave behind mental indigestion.

Greater care has been taken in the selection of artists and lecturers in order that the complete program of six concerts may interlock and preserve the continuity of Chautauqua's message.

It is unfortunate that with such a splendid offering the Chautauqua committee cannot find a larger hall for its presentation than the Gem, but through a system of providing reserved seats with every ticket sold at a nominal figure, those who are lucky enough to secure their tickets are absolutely assured of a good seat.

There will be a limited number of seats sold and everyone who intends to take advantage of these splendid entertainments should make application at once (if not sooner) for tickets, which may be obtained of all the merchants or any of the members of the Committee.

Chautauqua comes to us on November 4th and stays for three days presenting a program every afternoon and evening.

At the season ticket price these concerts cost under 30¢ each and when the quality of each program is considered it will be readily appreciated how great an opportunity is presented for entertaining and educational enjoyment by the visit of Chautauqua.

A program for the entire three days will be found on page four.

### Hospital Meeting

Contract Awarded for Extension Work Commences Immediately

Tenders for the construction of the new wing to the Municipal Hospital were opened on Saturday when it was found that the local contractors Salisbury and Root, were the lowest tenderers with the sum of \$17,475.00, being \$500.00 lower than their nearest competitors.

This was the only local tender the other seven being all Calgary firms.

Architect Hay strongly recommended that the work be started without delay stating that there was very little danger of the work suffering on account of the lateness of the season and also warning the board that there was every possibility of a large increase in the price of all building material in the spring.

After a long discussion it was finally decided to recommend the firm of Salisbury and Root to the minister for his approval and upon the depositing of a satisfactory bond by the contractor to proceed immediately with construction work.

The secretary notified the board that he had not received any reply from Mr. Prentice regarding the offer for settlement made by the board at its last meeting.

The matter was tabled for further discussion.

### Get Behind Boys

The Curling and Skating Rink proposition is slowly developing into a probability. If everyone got behind this really splendid and altogether desirable project, it would soon be attained.

### HARDWARE

## Cold Weather Necessities!

Foot Warmers  
Auto Robes  
Radiator Covers  
Horse Blankets  
Stove Pipes  
Fire Shovels  
A complete line of the Best Heaters & Ranges

## At Warm Weather Prices!

### HARNESS

SCOP SHOVELS LANTERNS COAL OIL HEATERS

COAL HEATERS HORSE BLANKETS GRAIN SCOOPS

Currie & Milroy, Ltd., Bassano

### APPLES APPLES APPLES

Winter Apples now in, McIntosh Reds, etc. Oranges, Grapefruit, Celery, Nuts, etc.

JAS. JOHNSTON The Quality Store.

## A Pimple Remover That Never Fails

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Behind His Formula

Had blood is always responsible for pimples, blackheads and humors. Pimples, eczema and boils are the common result.

I contend that to cure these ills, the liver, kidneys and bowels must receive attention.

My remedy, known as Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandarins and Bismuth, invariably reaches the trouble. If you put this little box of four pills in your mouth, and then, nothing will.

In a thousand cases I have demonstrated that Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure facial blemishes and skin diseases.

Lock upon these pills as the best blood purifier and system builder of the age, and guarantee they will give every complaint having its origin in a weak or debilitated blood supply.

If Dr. Hamilton's Pills are not a cure that tired, rundown condition, if they will not clear the face of freckles into energy and vim, then nothing will.

By creating an abundant supply of rich, nourishing blood they maintain that standard of health so much desired by those participating in the strenuous life we live today.

Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills and prove their merit today, 25c per box.

## Filling His Own Shoes

—BY—

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(Continued.)

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"They gave it to me because there was nobody so fit to take it," he snarled.

"Then the company must be in a mighty bad fix," said Ruggles contemptuously, and turned to the manager. "I am dropped in to tell you."

Went I thought of yes, "said he, his voice, though not loud, had a suppressed intensity that carried to every corner of the store, the words being distinctly audible.

Clerks serving customers stopped playing their shoe-horns and looked up, startled. The bookkeeper ceased his entries and the cashier rummaging among his receipts. Customers twisted about in their chairs, among them the British surgeon, who instantly recognized Ruggles as the nicely spoken young chap who had given him the newspaper the previous morning. Ruggles, in his cold, contemptuous anger, did not seem to be the effect he was producing. Without raising his voice, he went on speaking, his blue eyes, now almost black from restrained anger, fastened intently on the soft brown ones of the manager, who had turned suddenly very white.

"You knew that I was trying for this Vienna job, Durand," said he, "and you promised to help me get it, didn't you?"

"Come," said the manager, his voice trembling, for the look in Ruggles's face frightened him; "we will not discuss that now."

"Yes, we will, though," Ruggles answered. "You endorsed my letter to the European general manager and promised to help me in any way you could. Then, like a fool, I told Lorenz what I was after."

"That is it," Lorenz interrupted with a scowl. "You played the fool. You have only yourself to thank."

Ruggles's blood had turned quickly on his straight shoulders, and he looked through narrowed lids at the scowling Austrian.

"I'll talk to you in a minute, Lorenz," said he. "I've got a few words to say to Durand first. You lied to me, he went on to the manager, who was struggling hard for his self-possession. "You lied to me like a dirty sneak, and you know it. You kept me in the dark about what was going on, and backed Lorenz for your own worst. What did you get for it, anyway?"

## Your Eyes

A Wholesome, Chemical, Sterilized and Bactericidal—Safest for Reddened, Irritated, Itchy, Sore, Swollen, Scrofulous, or Inflamed Eyes. The Eyes or Eyelids. "I have been using your eye medicine for some time, and I feel much better. My eyes are now healthy and clear."—W. H. U. 1285

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Just a turn or two on the strop and your AutoStrop Razor is ready. After shaving, you press a little lever, and the blade under the tap, wip it off, and it is ready for the next shave.

There is no need to take razor to pieces and assemble it again, simply leave the blade where it is from shave to shave. This means time saved in the morning comb and a razor blade that's good for about twenty shaves.

AutoStrop—12 blades—\$5

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Ruff did not attempt to contradict him. The shop gave every evidence of a little royal with Ruggles as the police officer. In the end, his final shopping he had taken time to drop into the store to tell Ruggles that, on talking to her father, she had heard of the appointment of an Austrian to the management of the Vienna branch, but that Mr. Downing

had recommended him, and that Ruggles should have the same position in a much more elaborate store to be opened very shortly in Rome. It was necessary to say what means Ruff had employed to extract this promise, but she had achieved it; and she had sacrificed an hour of very precious time for the sole purpose of being the harbinger of these glad tidings.

Consequently, she was considerably taken aback by the spectacle presented to her vision. As she stood there, dazed and astounded, she saw a handsome man of a distinguished

face, dressed in a suit and tie, and his hand on Ruggles's shoulder. Ruggles appeared to recognize him, but he turned quickly away from him, ready to strike, then let his arm fall with a gasp that was half a sob.

"Come, old chap," said the stranger soothingly. "You've done quite enough damage. Check it now and come with me. I've got a taxi and

He altered Ruggles through the open door, which was swung wide by the small page.

(To Be Continued.)

## A Pioneer Of Aviation

Alberto Santos Dumont First Pilot to Fly an Aeroplane

To many readers the name Alberto Santos Dumont will be unfamiliar, and yet it is the name of one of the most successful pioneers in aviation.

He is a native of Brazil, and has been president of the Aeronautical Federation of the Western Hemisphere since he is now visiting North America for the purpose of studying the improvements made in aviation since he showed the world how to fly. He was the first pilot of a dirigible balloon, and the first to fly an airplane. His interest in balloons developed at an early age, and in 1901 he had perfected a dirigible with which he won at Paris the prize of \$50,000. He was made a chevalier in the French Legion of Honor in 1904 and received the officers' cross in 1909.

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Constantinople—The troops under the Nationalist leader Mustafa Kemal Pasha, who recently set up a separatist government in Asia Minor, have captured the city of Konje, in southern Asia Minor, and expelled the authorities.

Earlier dispatches had reported the convoking of a separatist parliament by Mustafa Kemal to meet at Erzurum, the site of his government, and activities of his troops in the vicinity of Smyrna and Erzurum.

The presence of his troops in sufficient strength to take possession of Konje, a city of 45,000 inhabitants and one of the most important administrative centers of Asia Minor, had not hitherto been reported in that section. Possession of this city is of great strategic importance, since it is the railroad of the railroads heading from Constantinople and to Smyrna.

## Canada's Railways

There are 39,000 miles of steam railways in Canada, all of which have been taken into account, such as double tracks, yard tracks and sidings, there are 50,853 miles. The first railway in Canada was opened in 1826 between Laprairie on the south bank of the St. Lawrence River, nine miles below Montreal, and St. John, on the Richelieu River. Its length was 16 miles. That continued to be the total railway mileage until 1847, when it was increased to 54 miles.

## Britain's Best Mind

Of the new British ambassador to the United States, A. G. Gardiner, writes in the Toronto Daily News: "The Lord Great Chamberlain of America the best mind of the nation, not a cunning mind, nor a clever mind, but a mind noble in thought, disinterested in purpose, spacious in vision, moved by only great goals that can be moved by the sign of these years and inspired by the single idea of rescuing the world from the pit into which it has fallen, and it is to America that we need most to send such a messenger, such a witness of our goodwill, such an assurance of our good faith."

## GNP PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

"Where is the Dead Sea, Tommy?" asked the teacher.

"Don't know, m'am," was the candid reply.

"Don't know where the Dead Sea is?" There was a scorn in teacher's voice.

"No m'am," came the reply. "I didn't know any of them was sick."

Teacher: "How do bees dispose of their honey?"

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## Britain's Best Mind

Of the new British ambassador to the United States, A. G. Gardiner, writes in the Toronto Daily News: "The Lord Great Chamberlain of America the best mind of the nation, not a cunning mind, nor a clever mind, but a mind noble in thought, disinterested in purpose, spacious in vision, moved by only great goals that can be moved by the sign of these years and inspired by the single idea of rescuing the world from the pit into which it has fallen, and it is to America that we need most to send such a messenger, such a witness of our goodwill, such an assurance of our good faith."

## GNP PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

"Where is the Dead Sea, Tommy?" asked the teacher.

"Don't know, m'am," was the candid reply.

"Don't know where the Dead Sea is?" There was a scorn in teacher's voice.

"No m'am," came the reply. "I didn't know any of them was sick."

Teacher: "How do bees dispose of their honey?"

Clever Pupils: "They call it."

"You're a liar. You know I never touch a drop. You're a stinking, snarling liar, that's what you are. You think that would play a trick like you have sn't fit to set sabots to a street cleaner. That's what I think of you. And Lorenz, here, is right in your class."

Durand's face was chalky, but over that of the Austrian there spread a swarthy blush. He had some little Hungarian blood in his veins and, though cruel and treacherous, he was no coward. Besides, his nature was that which having betrayed Ruggles's confidence he hated and despised him.

"You have said enough," he growled. "Go out and do not make a scene. You have got only what you deserve. While you were looking around Paris and riding your bicycle and walking in the Bois with your girl, I was writing to prominent business men in Vienna who would recommend me for this position."

Ruggles felt the hair bristling at the back of his neck, and his face clenched involuntarily. His blue eyes blazed at Lorenz.

"Oh, you were, were you?" said he. "Why, you rascal, who gave you a recommendation, I'd like to know? You told me yourself that you'd been a quick cornerer and got run out of town for nearly killing somebody of blood-poolish, then rounded on your boss and swore it was the boss. When the company gets down so low as to stick in a cheap skate like you for a manager, it's time for the honest men in the concern to hunt new jobs."

Ruggles's voice held more scorn and bitterness than anger. He despised Lorenz too thoroughly to have any violent rage at the man. But his scathing reference to the unfortunate experiment in chiropractic was more than the savage, underlying nature of the Austrian could endure. His face turned almost black.

"You dirty little Yankee pig!" snarled Lorenz, quite forgetting in his fury the nationality of the business man who had employed him, "get out of this shop!" And treating to the effect of a premature of some forty pounds of bone and muscle over Ruggles's weight, he seized the boy so forcibly by the right arm near the shoulder that his strong, bony fingers sank almost to the bone.

A smart blow from Ruggles's throat, for the pain was sudden and sharp, he was thrown back, and he fell to Lorenz as though a very mountain mule had planted his hind hoof directly under his left ear. He loosened his grip and spun around on his heels; then, before he could recover his balance—smash!—and the other hoof had been planted in the center of his right eye.

Backward he went, smashing one of the company's nice new Art-Nouveaux chairs in his fall. He climbed to his feet and glancing Ruggles through a swirling haze, rushed blindly at him with the mad intention of bearing him down by sheer superiority of size and rending him limb from limb. But Ruggles, though all aflame with the excitement of his first violence of his hitherto peaceful life, struck strictly to the instincts of his Anglo-Saxon blood, and, as Lorenz lunged his big, gaunt body upon him, he side-stepped and planted a vicious blow in the other eye. Then, the momentum of his antagonist being partly checked, he leaped nimbly in and delivered so smart an uppercut on the pointed Magyar chin that Lorenz lost the tip of his tongue and spent many subsequent hours in a dental parlor.</



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This is our birthday month. Incorporated in October 1908 we have celebrated our career fifty-four years ago this very month. We have grown! We began business with a capital of \$50,000.00. Today our capital and surplus have grown to \$1,000,000.00. Our first branch was established in 1908. To-day we have more than 250 branches throughout Canada. For your share in our continued progress we thank you.

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### Gem

A Thanksgiving Chicken supper was held at the schoolhouse on Friday last with the usual success which attends our functions.

The C.P.R. demonstration farm is exhibiting the very much dead body of a male on the road allowance near the schoolhouse, which naturally attracts considerable attention.

Our U.F.A. is considering the presentation of a vote of thanks to the Provincial Government for the attention given to our roads during the past year. They certainly speak volumes for the methods of road economy practiced by said Government (1). Save the mark.

A tremendous number of geese have taken up temporary quarters north of the colony, and we are surprised that so few Bassano sports have been trailing them. We saw the editor making a big attempt to land one with a 22 but guess he is handier with his pen than a gun.

Gem feels kind of interested in the seed fair proposition and would sure support it if it was properly organized.

Most of the colony what is grading No. 2, but we should worry. The majority of dry farmers who got No. 1 tough luck. Better get wet, dry!

Dan Stevens says there is not much chance of the railway getting in to Gem this fall. Guess Dan is right again.

Dan Stevens also seems to be causing a lot of excitement everywhere. Next year will see one on nearly every farm.

A number of farmers had their spuds frozen on them this year, but they have only themselves to blame for the weather sure has been dandy this fall. The weather clerk says it just like farmers, give them a day and they want a month.

Gem expects to head the list of subscribers to the Victory Loan this year. It will be the biggest boost for the prosperity of the colony we have ever had. We sure mean to get the prince's honor gift early in the game.

## TOWN COUNCIL

There was quite a large attendance at the Council Meeting held on Monday, including three visitors from Washington who came to study Canadian law, stayed for a few minutes to hear a real Bassano council debate, and then precipitated the last of it when the Council reached one of its notorious periods of hesitancy.

By far the most important item of business transacted was the ratification of the agreement between the town and the C.P.R. wherein the latter agrees to lay a four inch pipe line from the end of the present system on second avenue to eighth street, with permission to householders on second avenue to connect on same for water supply, and also provide fire protection.

Another item of considerable interest was the statement of the auditor showing that while the operation of the town mine had yielded a profit in '17 and '18, a big deficit was registered for 1919. The Council decided to make further investigations before taking the matter up definitely.

R. H. Struthers, spoke on behalf of the school trustees, stating that the board was strongly opposed to the cancellation of subdivision properties on grounds of finance and equity.

The secretary was authorized to dispose of certain properties of the town now in disuse, and the special committee appointed to investigate conditions at the pumping station recommended the sale of an Ingle Vertical pump and also one of the boilers.

The secretary was granted leave

## Chautauqua

### FIRST DAY

Afternoon 5.30 p.m. Prelude—Entertainment. Francis Hendry Company. Lecture—"What Australia is Doing for Her Returned Men." Sergeant Robert Carle, President, Returned Soldiers' National League of Australia. Four years in France and Gallipoli, recently from Australia. Admission 50c.

Evening 8.00 p.m. Prelude—A Study in Character. Hendry and Widdows. Entertainment. Hendry and Widdows. Lecture—"Tallow Dips." Robert Parker Miles. Admission 75c.

### SECOND DAY

Afternoon 3.30 p.m. Entertainment. The Venetian Trio. Admission 50c.

Evening 8.00 p.m. Prelude—Vocal and Instrumental Music. The Venetian Trio. Inspirational Lecture—"Playing the Game" or "Liberty and Law." Captain Woodbridge. Admission 75c.

### THIRD DAY

3.30 p.m. Prelude, Witepska's Instrumental Quartette; Lecture—"Forces that Help or Hinder the Progress of a Nation." Mrs. A. C. Palmer. Admission 75c.

Evening 8.00 p.m. Grand Closing Concert, Witepska's Instrumental Quartette. In classical selection, and Oliver McCormick, the noted Prima Donna in two groups of songs. Admission 75c.

Adult Season Tickets \$1.75. Child's Season Tickets \$1.00.

## Business Kept Going By Loan

Wages Paid, Goods Bought, Goods Sold, Money Made, All By Loan

As a matter of plain common sense business, the Victory Loan 1919 should be made a winner.

It doesn't matter what his line of business is, the business man should get out and push this loan for all he is worth. He should talk loan to his customers, talk loan to his employees, talk loan to his partners, talk loan from breakfast to bed time.

And he should act, because talking only takes a man so far.

The Victory Loan is a business getter and a business maker. It will pay wages, sustain trade, sell goods and buy goods, help commerce, agriculture, manufacturing.

The Victory Loan will make it easier for your customers to find the money to pay your goods.

The Victory Loan is the personal concern of every business man.

## IMPOUNDED

Notice is hereby given that one two-year-old Red Maltie Steer, branded "N" right rib, impounded September 25th, on N. W. 1/4 Sec. 18, 25-14.

N. D. PERGUSON,  
Pondkeeper,  
Hutton.

## FOR SALE

Good Grade Holstein Milk Cows.  
SMITH'S MILKWAY FARM,  
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## Sheriff's Sale

Under and by virtue of an Order of His Honour Judge Joubert, I will offer for sale on SATURDAY OCTOBER 25th, at 2 o'clock P.M.

The following lands, viz.

Lot Twenty-two (22) and Twenty-six (26) in Block Twenty-four (24) Plan 4417 A.D. Bassano, together with all the buildings thereon the said lands being situated on seventh avenue, and formerly occupied by Mr. W. J. Yeo.

The sale will take place on the said premises subject to a reserve bid which has been fixed by the said judge, and to certain conditions which may be obtained from me at my office and which will be announced at the time of sale.

The terms of payment will be 10% of price at the time of sale, one-half of balance in one month and the remainder in three months with interest at 8% per annum; or the purchaser may pay all the balance in sixty days without interest.

A. A. McREGOR,  
Deputy Sheriff.

of absence to attend the Union of Municipalities Convention at Edmonton, he to pay his own expenses.

The U.F.A. of Bassano wrote the council requesting that the road east of town passing the C.P.R. headquarters be put into something like decent condition and suggested that the Council get after the C.P.R. to do its share towards this much needed improvement.

The Council finally adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

## How to take the H.C.L. out of clothes buying for fall

Clothes are higher priced; all of them—good or bad. The poor ones cost about the same as the good ones—not much difference any more.

Here's some good advice; take it from us; don't try to "beat the game," and pay the lowest price; you'll get poor quality; the clothes won't last, and your "High Cost of Clothing" will go up several notches.

Here's the right way; get good quality; pay for it; the wear and service you get saves for you and reduces the H.C.L.

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A week-end in the woods with gun and dog awaits for the asking. Do not envy your neighbors.

A Ford Touring Car will give you daily pleasure. Your family will appreciate it too.

Ford Runabouts \$600. Starting \$500. One Open under the Electric Starting and Lighting equipment is \$100 extra.

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Services every week as advertised.  
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Services—7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.  
Rev. T. S. PATON.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC**

**Change in Train Service**  
Effective October 12th, 1919.

Train Nos. 13 and 14 between Moose  
Jaw and Vancouver will be withdrawn.  
Last through No. 13 will leave Moose  
Jaw, October 12th, passing Bassano  
October 11th. Last through No. 14 will  
leave Vancouver October 11th, passing  
Bassano October 12th.

Train Nos. 1 and 2 will be operated via  
the Golden sub-division.  
Times for trains at Bassano will be  
as follows:

**GOING WEST:**  
No. 1 24:23 No. 3 10:20  
No. 2 4:47 No. 4 17:43  
For further particulars apply to any  
Ticket Agent, or J. E. PROCTOR, Dis-  
trict Passenger Agent.

**STRAYED**

One Bay Mare, 4 years old, weight  
1000 lbs. One Buckskin Mare, weight  
900 lbs. One Yearling Buckskin Colt;  
One two-year-old Bay Mare, white face  
and feet. All the above branded VY  
right shoulder. Reward for recovery or  
information leading to recovery.  
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Pure Bred S.O. White Leghorn Cock-  
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SMITH'S MILEWAY FARM,  
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## Over A Billion Saved By People

Some Striking Figures of Savings  
Deposits from Bank Statement  
for August

A total of \$1,100,000,000 in savings  
bank deposits is a gratifying report that  
many of the countries which have  
emerged from war would be glad to re-  
port today. This is the position of  
Canada as revealed in the bank state-  
ment for August.

The amount is \$181,921,000 better  
than the same month last year, notwith-  
standing the fact that a good part of it  
was transferred to last year's \$900,000,000  
Victory Loan, and is \$21,940,775 better  
than July of this year.

This is a promising outlook for the  
Victory Loan campaign which is at  
present being carried on. If the de-  
positors in Canada's savings banks were  
to say the word, they could subscribe the  
\$300,000,000 asked nearly four times  
over. The success of the present effort  
should be overwhelming.

## Great Business Advance Shown

Remarkable Bank Clearings  
Emphasize Importance of  
Victory Loan

Judging from the statement of bank  
clearings for the month of September,  
Canada is doing an unprecedented amount  
of business. The clearings ad-  
vanced 40 per cent over September of  
last year which itself was a large month.  
All sections of the country shared in  
the advance of business some cities do-  
ing double the trade of September, 1918.  
Many quite remarkable increases, out-  
side of the specially large advances of  
Winnipeg and Windsor, were noted.  
Toronto gained 37 per cent, Brandon  
17 per cent, Kitchener 37 per cent,  
London 35 per cent, Ottawa 31 per cent,  
Edmonton 60 per cent, Prince Albert 64  
per cent.

The present remarkable period of pro-  
sperity in Canada will be maintained if  
the Victory Loan, 1919 is made an over-  
whelming success. Business men realize  
this and in the interests of themselves  
and the country are being urged to press  
the importance of the coming loan upon  
every eye with whom they come in con-  
tact.

## FOR SALE

Pedigree Jersey Bull, two weeks old,  
Twenty-Five Dollars if taken at once.  
Some fine yearling Stallions from \$200.  
B. H. BUNNY,  
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## STRAYED

Suitable reward will be paid for the  
return or information leading to the re-  
turn of any or all of the horses as before.  
Communicate with A. Griffin, Supt.  
G.P.R., D.N.M., Brooks.

1 White Gelding, branded E right hip,  
right shoulder, about 1200 lbs.

1 Bay Gelding, branded E right hip,  
right shoulder, about 1200 lbs. Lost  
in Bow Slope vicinity.

1 Bay Gelding, branded CO left  
shoulder, age 12 years, about 1250 lbs.

201 Grey Gelding, branded E right  
jaw, IC left shoulder, 6 yrs. old, about  
1300 lbs.

1 Bay Gelding, both hind coronets  
white, both fore legs black, branded E  
left shoulder, IC left shoulder, 8 years  
old, about 1225 lbs. Lost 1918 from  
Bassano District.

1 Bay Gelding, branded IC left  
shoulder, 7 years old, about 1400 lbs.  
Lost this year in vicinity of Duesen.

1 Bay Mare, branded A right  
shoulder, about 1200 lbs., 4 years old,  
lost September between Camille and  
Brooks.

Dark Bay Mare, 4 years old, one white  
foot, very little mane, or foretop, short  
tail, weight 1100 lbs., no brand, lost  
September from vicinity of St. Julien  
Colony, Sully.

Grey Mare, branded E right hip, W  
right shoulder, 14 years old, about 1200  
lbs. Lost from vicinity of Patricia.

## \$10.00 REWARD

For recovery of cattle branded JH on  
left ribs, and horns branded U on  
left thigh.—Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Nan-  
ton, Alta. 41-30

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Small Pump Engine and Jaws. Write  
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## "I Hope Every City and District Will Win My Flag"

When Edward, Prince of Wales—eager, bright  
eyed, smiling and sincere—arrived in Canada in  
August, and when he voiced his great admiration of  
the wonderful achievements of Canadians, on the  
fields of battle and at home, once again we were  
thrilled with joyous pride.

He asked concerning Canada's reconstruction pro-  
gramme, and when he was told of the Victory Loan  
1919, he graciously consented to the use of his Coat  
of Arms on a flag, which is to be the prize of honour  
for districts achieving their quota in the loan.

In dedicating "The Prince's Flag" at Ottawa on  
Labor Day, His Royal Highness said in part—  
"It is a great joy to me to be associated with the  
loan, which is the bridge between war and peace, and  
which is finishing off the job."

"I hope every city and district will win my flag."  
Striking, and beautiful in design, this flag will form  
not only an unique memento of Victory Year, but a  
lasting and outstanding souvenir of the visit of His  
Royal Highness—a visit which will remain as one of  
the most memorable events in Canada's history.

The reproduction above shows the design of the  
flag. The body is white, the edge red; in the upper  
left hand corner is the Union Jack, and in the lower  
right hand corner the Prince of Wales' Coat of Arms.

The flag is made in two sizes, 4 feet 6 inches by  
9 feet for small cities, towns and villages, and 7 feet  
by 13 feet 6 inches for cities of over 10,000 population.

Canada has been divided into canvassing districts  
by the Victory Loan Organization. Each city forms  
one district. Other districts have been determined  
according to population.

Each of these canvassing districts has been allotted  
a certain amount in Victory Bonds to sell. To win  
the Prince's Flag, therefore, a district has to sell its  
allotment. That is the one and simple condition.

Anticipating that many districts will buy far  
beyond their allotment, the organization decided that  
for each twenty-five per cent. excess of the quota one  
Prince of Wales' Crest be awarded. Thus the workers  
in a district doubling its quota will be the proud win-  
ners of four small crests for their Honour Flag. These  
crests will be sewn to the flag. The Prince's Crest—

the three ostrich plumes—is shown at the top of the  
coat of arms.

To every organization with fifty or more employees,  
where seventy-five per cent. of the enrolment is  
total of ten per cent. of the annual payroll in  
Bonds, a supplementary Prince of Wales' Crest  
smaller form—48 inches by 24 inches—will be  
awarded.

The allotment for each district has been carefully  
considered, and is based on a conservative estimate  
of the purchasing power of the district.

Your district can sell its allotment and the  
Prince's Flag, provided each person does his part  
share.

You will gladly do your part and encourage your  
neighbour to do his.

Remember YOUR purchase may be the one that  
decides whether or not your district is to be the  
possessor of the Prince's Flag.

**The Prince's Motto is "I Serve"  
Will You also Serve?**

# Victory Loan 1919

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee  
in co-operation with the Minister of Finance  
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## You Will Find Us

In new quarters (opposite our old  
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give you better service than ever  
before.

Let us figure on your car overhau-  
ling this winter we can save you  
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only one place where you can eat and  
enjoy your meals and that is the

## New Royal Cafe

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We have enlarged our staff and every-  
thing is new, clean, and up-to-date.

You will enjoy every meal you have in  
our new restaurant.

**Best of Everything  
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# Strikers Unreconciled By Lloyd George

Ottawa—Premier Lloyd George surprised his countrymen, as he frequently does, by denouncing the railwaymen's strike as "Prussianism" and "another effort to hold up the country and disrupt its commerce," at the Lord Mayor's Mansion House luncheon in honor of Field Marshal Allenby.

The occasion was an unusual one for such a topic, but the Premier has a habit of doing unusual things at unusual times. Near him sat Earl Paisal, son of the king of the Hejaz, in white robes, and the Archbishop of Canterbury with an array of other military and civilian notables, such as only London can muster on ceremonial occasions. They expected nothing sensational from the Prime Minister, but they were surprised by his compliments to the conqueror of Palestine.

"The nation means to be master in her own house," Lloyd George declared, "just master, a fair master, a generous master, but always master in her own house."

This was naturally accepted as a proclamation of the Premier's view that the country won a victory over the strikers.

## Plan Reform in House Laws

Ottawa—Double representation of constituencies in the Dominion parliament will not be permissible in future if amendments to S. W. Jacobs' bill to change the House of Commons Act agreed to by the Privileges and Elections Committee are approved by parliament.

Mr. Jacobs' bill, as originally introduced, provided that a member elected for two seats must, within thirty days, make a choice as to the seat he proposes to represent.

The committee, after considerable discussion, agreed to an amendment providing that no person shall be eligible for election to the House of Commons in more than one electoral district at the same time. The further provision is made that if a man accepts nomination in two constituencies such nominations will be null and void. The bill will apply to elections as well as to general election contests.

The clause in Mr. Jacobs' bill which provided for the filling of vacancies which occurred within 60 days, was also changed. The amendment provides for the filling of such vacancies within six months.

# Nationalists Capture Koneh

Apprehension That Turkish Threat May Be in Danger

Paris.—Koneh, an important railroad centre, is in the hands of the Turkish Nationalist forces.

This city, which is the days of Roman power was known as Iconium and was the capital of the province of Lycania. It stands in a position which virtually dominates South Asia Minor. It appears to have been captured by Kemal in the course of the vast operation stretching from Koneh from the southwest to Erzurum, the principal city of Turkish Armenia, a drive of 425 miles.

It is said the fall of the Turkish cabinet was caused by the capture of Koneh, and there seems to be some apprehension in some quarters that the Turkish throne may be in danger.

On the other hand, French critics point out that Djemal Pasha, the newly appointed Turkish minister of war, is a political ally of Mustafa Kemal.

# Concerning Shipping Supervision

Co-operation To Be Introduced in Control of Ocean Tonnage

Ottawa—Replying to a question by J. E. Armstrong, Sir George Post, Minister of Trade and Commerce, stated that the Dominion Government has called the Imperial Government's attention to injustices in connection with the supervision by the British Ministry of Shipping of the employment of vessels under charter by Canadian shipping interests.

To reply to another question, Sir George stated that the Canadian Government will co-operate with the Imperial Government and other overseas dominions in considering the question of the supervision and control of ocean tonnage between the different parts of the British dominion.

In reference to a report of a British royal commission in favor of government supervision of transatlantic shipping, the minister stated that this report will probably form the subject matter of consideration at the next Imperial conference.

# Right of Provinces To Enforce Prohibition

## Gen. Mangin Will Assist Denikine

He Will Be Accompanied by Russian Ambassador to Paris

Paris.—General Mangin, whose recall to Paris from command of the eighth army, has just been announced, is to proceed to south Russia and join General Denikine, the anti-Bolshevik commander, there, according to L'Esclair. He will be accompanied by Basile Maklakoff, Russian ambassador to Paris, their mission being to co-ordinate the policy of the anti-Bolshevik government.

The eighth and tenth French armies are being broken up as units, and General Mangin and General Denikine, who commanded them, have been recalled and placed at the disposition of the minister of war. Newspapers are greatly interested in this, and explain it differently. While the opposition press insinuates that General Mangin may be out of favor, which it insists is undeserved, a majority of the newspapers declare the move is only an administrative measure resulting from the growing occupation groups in the Rhineland. It is said the eighth and tenth armies will soon be reformed into a single army, which will be commanded by General Degoutte.

## Italians Are Excited

By Warnings With Regard to Situation at Fiume

Rome.—Much excitement in political circles and extended comment in the press has been caused by the reported receipt of warnings from Great Britain and the United States to Italy with regard to the situation at Fiume. It is declared that the British warning stated in effect that "the present illegal situation" at Fiume should continue Italy would "run the risk of being put out of the alliance and of the consequences," and that it was received a few days after a similar warning from the United States.

The Tribuna prints a violent article stigmatising the warnings and saying that Italy, but to D'Annunzio, as "Fiume is not Italy; in fact, Fiume is fighting against the Italian government which, together with the other allies, is unable to solve the Adriatic problem after the disavowal of the pact of London."

## Argentine Will Give Credit

Government Accepted to Request of France and Italy

Buenos Aires.—Declaring that the loans of Argentine grain would not be sold unless the government acceded to the request of France and Italy for a credit of \$300,000 with which to purchase cereals, a delegation representing the chamber of commerce of Rosario, a great grain centre, requested President Irigoyen to expedite the loan by calling an extra session of congress. The regular session adjourned recently without acting on the loan. President Irigoyen indicated he would endeavor to convene congress as early as possible and would recommend the loan as business of the first importance.

## Strikers Granted Increase

London.—A court of arbitration has granted an increase of 10 per cent to the men and bus-boys in London and the provinces has made an award granting an increase in wages amounting to 10 shillings weekly for those over 18 years of age and two shillings to those below that age. The recent agitation among the men was for an increase of 12 shillings weekly.

## Prohibition in Norway

Despite This, Arrests for Intoxication Have Been Increasing

Christiania.—War-time prohibition, operating since December, 1918, and forbidding the sale and private importation of spirits and strong liquors has been made permanent.

Despite this prohibition, arrests for intoxication have been steadily increasing throughout the country, and in some places have been very high. Before the war-time prohibition was put into effect.

"Substitutes" for liquor, especially dehydrated alcohol, are being sold everywhere. Illegal distillation also is increasing, especially in the rural districts.

It is feared that France, Spain and Portugal, from which countries liquor was imported, may retaliate with a ban on Norwegian goods, such as timber and fish, thereby injuring especially the Norwegian fish trade, 60 per cent of which goes to Portugal.

## For Sweeping Reform

National Women's Council Present

Calgary.—Resolutions asking that second offences for bootlegging be punishable by jail sentences, that soldiers' civil re-establishment be \$10,000. Interest on the public debt has risen from \$12,093,000 in 1913-14 to \$102,762,000 this year.

War expenditures for 1919-20 were estimated at \$350,000,000 exclusive of pensions, and this year's consolidated receipts were estimated at \$244,000,000.

## Quantity of Liquor Seized

Winnipeg. Intoxicating liquor, whisky, Scotch whisky, Irish whisky, cherry whisky, gin, brandy and rum to the estimated value of \$200,000 was seized by the city police morality department at the corner of Notre Dame avenue and Charlotte street. S. Gold, head of the firm of Gold & Chein, is alleged to have been carrying on the business of wholesale bootlegging, was filling bottles with liquor, surrounded by many modern appliances to facilitate, and conceal, the work.

## Japan to Ratify Pact

Paris.—Ratification by the Japanese parliament of the German peace treaty is not required by the constitution of Japan, according to information from peace conference circles. Signature by the Emperor after consultation with the private diplomatic council constitutes the necessary ratification, and this is expected to take place by October 15.

## Move to Regulate Price of Clothing

Toronto.—Immediate and effective action to regulate clothing prices was forecasted by Commissioner Murdoch of the Commerce Board, at the conclusion of the board's investigation into clothing prices here. Col. W. H. Price, government counsel, who directed the commissioner, calling attention to evidence which he said warranted action on the part of the board, and Commissioner Murdoch.

"I am firmly convinced that something should be done to reduce the price of clothing, and so far as I am concerned, as one member, I will hope to see something done promptly and effectively."

Commissioner Murdoch said he had been too much preoccupied by there had been too much profit made by some of the clothing houses whose affairs had been investigated. "And I am further of the opinion," he went on, "that there is more than net profit involved, that there is real

## Irish Bill for New Session

London.—Parliamentarians say the Irish bill will be the feature of the new session of parliament, and the cabinet has agreed to introduce it on lines of dominion home rule, but with suggested alterations, that any county may stand out, or Ulster should be all included and have their own secretaries of state.

In Madrid the tanning of smokeless for the manufacture of women's belts has become quite a profitable industry.

## King Albert Runs Train

Chicago.—The King of the Belgians ran the engine of his own train for ten miles. The special train on which the King and his party are travelling westward was stopped at Wauson, Ohio, while His Majesty climbed into the cab of the engine and took over the throttle from the grumpy pilot.

The King, who has a thorough knowledge of locomotive engineering, ran the heavy train for 10 miles without a jolt, then he stopped the engine and returned to his car.

## Italy Ratifies Peace Pact

Rome.—King Victor Emmanuel has ratified the German and Austrian treaties by decree.

The Giornale d'Italia says that each decree contains two articles, the first authorizing the government to execute the treaty fully and the second setting forth that the documents be presented to parliament to be approved in law.

## Irish Home Rule Bill

Ottawa.—Parliamentarians say the Irish bill will be the feature of the new session of parliament, and the cabinet is now considering one drafted on lines of dominion home rule, but with suggested alterations, that any county may stand out or Ulster counties be all included and have their own secretaries of state.

## Ready to Ratify Pact

Ottawa.—Great Britain's ratification of the Peace Treaty, the Foreign Office says, awaits only the King's proclamation. All the dominions have ratified the treaty, the Australian ratification was received on September 15 and the Senate on October 15.

## Increased Gratuities A Heavy Burden

Ottawa.—A further statement of the difficulties facing the government in the payment of \$200,000,000 or more in gratuities a difficult matter for the administration to face, was placed before the special committee on the civil re-establishment by Sir Thomas White, former minister of finance.

The former minister of finance was calling attention to the many heavy expenditures which the government was called upon to face from the war, and the heavy loans which any war debts incurred, the larger portion of this loan would be taken up in bank debt and other obligations.

"Canada's financial position," he said, "while it should not be called critical, is still serious because of the war year expenditure, to say the least, for most careful administration."

"The policy of all the nations which were belligerents will be toward retrenchment for the next few years."

He regard to the forthcoming loan, Sir Thomas said he had no misgivings. It would probably be well over-subscribed, but he could see that, from present indications, a further loan would be necessary next year. Canada had had to borrow money to finance purchases by Britain and her allies, and the heavy loan would be necessary next year.

"I do not see how it would be possible for the government to raise any such further sum as is suggested by the loan of \$200,000,000," said Sir Thomas. The ex-minister expressed the view that should the government be forced to raise a large amount of additional money to soldiers, the money would mostly have to be produced by domestic loans.

## California to Entertain King Albert

Santa Barbara, Calif.—Wild boar hunting on Santa Cruz Island, sea-plane flights, motor jaunts from the city, a banquet and other features are on the program to be tendered King Albert and Queen Elisabeth of Belgium and members of their suite upon arrival here.

## Police Recs Budgeted

Paris.—The annual cost of 1800 British soldiers, forming part of the international detachment to take over the police service in Budapest after the departure of the Rumanians, is reported in dispatches from the Hungarian capital. Two thousand Italian soldiers are also expected.

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